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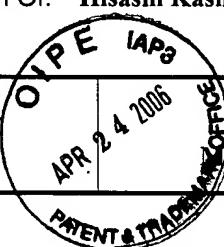
**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO
THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES (Large Entity)**

Docket No.

JP920000069US1

In Re Application Of: Hisashi Kashima

Serial No.
09/870,009



Filing Date
May 30, 2001

Examiner
Carolyn Smith

Group Art Unit
1631

Invention:

**NUCLEOTIDE SEQUENCE FOR IDENTIFYING A SOURCE OF GENETIC INFORMATION, AND DNA AND CELL
INCLUDING THE SAME**

TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

Applicant(s) hereby appeal(s) to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner dated **January 24, 2006** finally rejecting Claim(s) **5, 8-12, 15, 17-27 and 30-34**

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